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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2007–08 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 639

Introduced by Assembly Member Hancock

February 21, 2007

An act to add ~~Section 3001.5 to the Penal~~ and repeal *Section 1727 of the Welfare and Institutions Code*, relating to parole.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 639, as amended, Hancock. Parole: juveniles ~~and adults~~.

Existing law provides that after juveniles ~~and adults~~ are released from the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, they are placed on parole, as specified.

Existing law requires the Division of Juvenile Facilities and the Board of Parole Hearings, within the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, to exercise powers and duties related to, among other things, discharges of commitment, orders to parole and conditions thereof, revocation or suspension of parole, disciplinary appeals, determination of offense categories, and the setting of parole considerations.

~~This~~

On and after January 1, 2009, and until January 1, 2014, this bill would provide that prior to each juvenile ~~and adult~~ ward being released on parole, the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation shall take

reasonable steps to ensure that each parolee successfully obtains a valid California identification card, as defined, issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

This bill would require the department, in collaboration with the Department of Motor Vehicles (~~DMV~~), to allow the ~~DMV~~ *Department of Motor Vehicles* to make biannual visits to the department's facilities ~~for this purpose to inmates provide identification cards to eligible wards~~ upon their release and to ~~inmates~~ wards who are eligible to be released or released on parole within 6 months.

This bill would specify the department's duties in providing and obtaining the information necessary for eligible ~~inmates~~ wards to obtain identification cards.

~~This bill would make its provisions operative on January 1, 2009.~~

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 ~~SECTION 1. Section 3001.5 is added to the Penal Code, to~~
- 2 ~~read:~~
- 3 ~~3001.5.—~~
- 4 ~~SECTION 1. Section 1727 is added to the Welfare and~~
- 5 ~~Institutions Code, to read:~~
- 6 ~~1727. Prior (a) Prior to each juvenile and adult ward being~~
- 7 ~~released on parole, the Department of Corrections and~~
- 8 ~~Rehabilitation shall take reasonable steps to ensure that each~~
- 9 ~~parolee successfully obtains a valid California identification card~~
- 10 ~~issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles.~~
- 11 ~~(a)~~
- 12 ~~(b) The department, in collaboration with the Department of~~
- 13 ~~Motor Vehicles (DMV), shall allow the DMV Department of Motor~~
- 14 ~~Vehicles to make biannual visits to the department's facilities for~~
- 15 ~~the purpose of providing state-issued identification cards to inmates~~
- 16 ~~wards upon their release and to inmates wards who are eligible to~~
- 17 ~~be released or released on parole within six months.~~
- 18 ~~(b)~~
- 19 ~~(c) (1) The department shall verify inmate ward eligibility for~~
- 20 ~~the identification card by obtaining the inmate's ward's birth date~~
- 21 ~~and legal presence information through the inmate's ward's file.~~

1 (2) *A ward is not eligible to receive an identification card*
2 *pursuant to this section if the ward already has possession of a*
3 *validly issued California identification card or driver's license.*

4 ~~(e)~~

5 (d) Identification cards shall be issued pursuant to subdivision
6 (a) of Section 13005 of the Vehicle Code.

7 ~~(d)~~

8 (e) All identification cards ~~will~~ *shall* be subject to Section 13004
9 of the Vehicle Code.

10 (f) *A ward shall pay all fees charged by the Department of Motor*
11 *Vehicles related to the issuance of an identification card. However,*
12 *the Department of Motor Vehicles shall waive any or all of the fee*
13 *upon a finding of an inability to pay.*

14 ~~(e)~~

15 (g) This section shall become operative on January 1, 2009.

16 (h) *This section shall remain in effect only until January 1, 2014,*
17 *and as of that date is repealed, unless a later enacted statute, that*
18 *is enacted before January 1, 2014, deletes or extends that date.*